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**RESPONSE TO EXAMINER'S REPORT DATED OCTOBER 11, 2005
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The Commissioner of Patents
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Official Communication dated October 11, 2005, Applicant respectfully requests that the following submissions be entered in response thereto. A request for a one month extension of time along with the required fees for a small entity is enclosed in the amount of **\$60.00 USD**. If there is any deficiency or surplusage of the fees required for this

application, please obtain any such deficiency or credit the surplusage to Deposit Account 08-3255 and advise Applicants' Agent.

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